

**641—30.2 (105) Continuing education requirements.**

**30.2(1)** The biennial continuing education compliance period shall begin on the license issue date and end two years later on the license expiration date.

**30.2(2)** Each biennium:

*a.* A master or journey licensee shall be required to complete a minimum of 8 hours of board-approved continuing education, of which 4 hours shall be in the prescribed practice discipline. A minimum of 2 hours of the 8 hours shall be in the content area of the applicable Iowa plumbing or mechanical codes, and 2 hours of the 8 hours shall be in the content area of the Iowa Occupational Safety and Health Act.

*b.* A master or journey licensee holding licenses in multiple disciplines shall obtain a minimum of 14 hours of board-approved continuing education, of which 8 hours shall be in any of the prescribed practice disciplines. A minimum of 2 hours of the 14 hours shall be in each of the content areas of the applicable Iowa plumbing code, Iowa mechanical code, or both, and 4 hours of the 14 hours shall be in the content area of the Iowa Occupational Safety and Health Act.

**30.2(3)** Up to 2 hours of board-approved continuing education required by subrule 30.2(2) each biennium may be obtained through completion of computer-based continuing education programs/activities approved by the board.

**30.2(4)** It is the responsibility of each licensee to finance the cost of continuing education.

**30.2(5)** A licensee who is a presenter of a board-approved continuing education program may receive credit once per biennium for the presentation of the program. The licensee may receive the same number of hours granted the attendees.